## CHAPTER 208.

#### RAFTS.

AN ACT to provide for action against rafts.

Bafts liable.

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, That any raft found in the waters of this State shall be liable for all debts contracted by the owner, agent, clerk, or pilot thereof, on account of work done or services rendered for such raft.

Lien 20 days.

SEC. 2. Claims growing out of either of the above causes shall be liens upon the raft, its tackle and appendages, for the term of twenty days from the time the right of action therefor accrued.

Enforce.

- SEC. 3. The same rules shall govern and the same process shall be had, to enforce the lien in this act provided for, that is prescribed for similar liens against boats in chapter 120 of the Code of Iowa.
- SEC. 4. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its publication according to law.

Approved Jan. 28, 1857.

## CHAPTER 209.

### NORMAL SCHOOLS.

AN ACT authorizing and requiring the payment of certain memors due the nermal schools of Andrew and Oskaloosa.

Andrew school

Section 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the State of Iowa, That the auditor of the State is hereby required to issue his warrant on the treasurer of State for the sum of one thousand dollars, the sum due the normal school at Andrew, in this State, and that William Thomas be, and he is hereby authorized to receive the said warrant.

Oskaloosa achool SEC. 2. That the auditor is hereby required to issue his warrant on the State treasurer for the further sum of one thousand dollars, the amount due the normal school at Oskaloosa, in this State, and that the treasurer of Mahaska

county, be, and he hereby is authorized to receive said warrant, who shall dispose of the warrant as he shall be directed by a majority of the persons who constituted the last board of directors of said school.

- SEC. 3. It is hereby made the duty of the treasurer of Treasurer pay. State to pay said orders out of any moneys in the treasury not otherwise appropriated.
- SEC. 4. That the act entitled "An act directing the pay-Repeal ment of certain moneys to the normal schools of Oskaloosa and Audrew," approved January, A. D. 1855, be, and the same is hereby repealed.
- SEC. 5. This act to take effect and be in force from and after its publication according to law.

Approved Jan. 28, 1857.

# CHAPTER 210.

#### DUBUQUE.

AN ACT for revising and consolidating the laws incorporating the city of Dubuque, and to establish a city court therein.

SECTION 1. Be it enacted by the General Assembly of the Boundaries. State of Iowa, That all that part of the county of Dubuque, in the State of Iowa, included within the following boundaries, to wit: Beginning at a point in the middle of the main channel of the Mississippi river, in the south line continued of section thirty-one (31) in township 89 north of range three (3) east of the fifth principal meridian; thence west along the south line of sail section continued, and along the south line of sections thirty-five (35) and thirty-six (36) in the same township, of range two (2) east of the fifth principal meridian to the west line of said section thirty five (35); thence north along the west line of sections thirty-five (35), twenty-six (26), and fourteen (14) to the north line of said section fourteen (14); thence east along the north line of said sections fourteen (14) and thirteen (13) to the range line between townships two (2) and three (3) east of said meridian; thence north on last mentioned range line, to its intersection with the north line of section seven (7) in the